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David Allan Collins

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DISTRIBUTED IDENTITY SERVER FOR USE IN A TELE-

COMMUNICATION SWITCH

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Sir:

NOTICE OF APPEAL

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the Final Rejection Office Action dated June 16, 2006 (Advisory Action dated September 25, 2006), of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting Claims 27-50.

A check in the amount of \$620.00 is enclosed in payment of the Notice of Appeal filing fee (\$500.00) and Petition for Extension of Time - one (1) month fee (\$120.00). The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees connected with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0208.

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